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Application Number **08/596,713**
 Filing Date **NOVEMBER 17, 1997**
 First Named Inventor **MELINDA A. MABRY ET AL**
 Examiner Name **CAIN, EDWARD**
 Group / Art Unit **171A**
 Attorney Docket No. **03259.76998**

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103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20	
102	78	202	39	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104	260	204	130	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
109	78	209	39	Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110	18	210	9	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	

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139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	110
118	380	218	190	Extension for reply within second month	
117	870	217	435	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,380	218	680	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,850	228	925	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	300	219	150	Notice of Appeal	
119	300	219	150	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	130	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,210	241	605	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,210	242	605	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	430	243	215	Design issue fee	
144	580	244	290	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	240	126	240	Submission of Information Disclosure Sheet	
361	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	780	246	390	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
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